## REGISTER NOW FOR THE FREE WORKSHOP ON ANAEROBIC DIGESTERS, HOSTED BY THE GOVERNOR'S OFFICE OF ENERGY MANAGEMENT & CONSERVATION

**DENVER, CO** – September 30, 2004 – The Governor's Office of Energy Management and Conservation (OEMC) presents "Anaerobic Digesters and Methane Recovery," October 5, from 8:15 am through 5:00 pm, at Morgan County Rural Electric Association in Fort Morgan, Colorado. The workshop will discuss how anaerobic digestion (AD) and methane recovery can help reduce lagoon odors and energy costs at large animal operations. The workshop is targeted for pork, dairy, cattle, and other CAFO producers who may be considering lagoon odor control options and energy savings.

The workshop is free and space remains available. If you are interested in attending, please register online at www.coloradoenergy.org and choose "October 5<sup>th</sup>" from the "Calendar of Events."

Workshop speakers include experts from the public, private and industry sectors:

- Commissioner Don Ament, Colorado Department of Agriculture
- Ed Lewis, OEMC, will discuss lessons learned from Colorado Pork's AD and debut a new AD video
- John Ewing, Environmental Systems & Solutions, will provide overview of AD, as well as specifics on the project in Fort Morgan.

## Other topics include:

- Local REA perspective on hog farm project from Southeast Colorado Power Association
- Colorado's water and air quality requirements and issues
- Energy audits for agricultural businesses from OEMC
- Interconnection opportunities from Tri-State G&T
- Field trip to tour Teague Diversified feedlot operation where a large community AD is planned

OEMC would like to express gratitude to Morgan County Rural Electric Association for donating the meeting space.

## Registration information:

- Free, but space is limited to the first 100 registered attendees
- Register online at www.coloradoenergy.org
- Contact Randy Hunsberger, McNeil Technologies, Inc., (303) 273,-0071 or <u>rhunsberger@mcneiltechco.com</u>